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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: Hitoshi ISHIDA et al. Conf.: 6355  
Appl No: 09/764,299 Art Unit: 2157  
Filed: January 19, 2001 Examiner: B. Burges  
For: A SYSTEM FOR PUNCTUALLY SENDING AND RECEIVING  
SERIAL DATA AND A METHOD FOR SENDING AND  
RECEIVING THE SERIAL DATA

**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
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**January 19, 2005**

Sir:

In reply to the Examiner's Non-Final Office Action dated October 19, 2004, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application as follows:

- Amendments to the claims; and
- Remarks/Arguments.

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